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RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action issued on December 26, 2006, the period for response having been extended by two (2) months to May 26, 2007, which falls on a Saturday and the following Monday, May 28, 2007 being Memorial Day, the following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application. This paper includes:

Amendments to the Specification, which begin on **page 2** of this paper.

Amendments to the claims, which begin on **page 8** of this paper.

Remarks, which begin on **page 14** of this paper.

The Declaration of Dr. Masao Tokunaga, which is **enclosed**.

The statement of translator Sonoko Tsukiyama, which is **enclosed**.